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the program.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay, so there is some expectation of General Funds here. That's why you have the language, "shall be established with due regard for the costs". It's not...the fee is not designed to cover all costs.

SENATOR CONNEALY: That's correct.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Okay. Thank you.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I was prepared to really fight this bill but Senator Stuhr whipped me down so badly on the last bill that I'm going to support this bill. But one thing I will point out, we intend, as a committee, to continue monitoring this activity, I'm sure Senator Stuhr will too, and we're trying as we go along to craft a program that really accomplishes our purpose. We want to give the Department of Labor the opportunity to do what they ought to do and if for some reason that is valid they cannot, then we will make adjustments. If there is activity they ought to engage in that would monitor and make sure things are being done as they should and it is not...the department is not doing what they should, then we will crack the whip. But at this time I'm willing to go along with the efforts underway to try to make this program work in the way that we envision. So I think this is definitely a step in the right direction and I say again, Senator Stuhr, be merciful on me next time.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Connealy, recognized to close on the committee amendments. He waives closing on the committee amendments. Question before the body is the adoption of those amendments. All in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. We're voting on the adoption of the committee amendments. Please vote if you care to. Record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, adoption of committee amendments.